

WHO WE ARE...

The Defense Acquisition University was authorized by 10 U.S.C. 1746, and was chartered in October 1991 by Department of Defense Directive (DoDD) 5000.57. DAU began operating on August 1, 1992.

Our mission is to provide the Acquisition, Technology and Logistics (AT&L) workforce with practitioner training to make smart business decisions and deliver timely and affordable capabilities to the warfighter.



WHAT WE DO...

As the DoD corporate university for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics training, the DAU provides a full range of basic, intermediate, advanced, and assignment-specific courses to support the career goals and professional development of the AT&L workforce. In addition to providing curriculum-based training, both in the classroom and via the Internet, the DAU fosters professional development and continuous learning through publications, symposia, research, performance consulting, and our latest initiative in knowledge sharing – online Communities of Practice. In all these initiatives, DAU strives to promote...

Excellence in DoD Acquisition, Technology and Logistics

How WE Do It...

- Certification Training
- Assignment-Specific Training
- Continuous Learning Opportunities
- Research Programs
- Performance Consulting
- Knowledge Management
- Strategic Partnerships
- Equivalencies
- Publications



DoD AT&L Career Fields

- Acquisition Logistics
- Auditing
- Business, Cost Estimating, and Financial Management
- Contracting
- Facilities Engineering

- Industrial and/or Contract Property Management
- Information Technology
- Manufacturing, Production, and Quality Assurance
- Program Management

- Purchasing
- Science and Technology Management
- Systems Planning, Research, Development and Engineering
- Test and Evaluation

TO SERVE YOU BETTER...

- Our learner-centric organization puts the classroom near your workplace.
- e-Learning makes classes more accessible, saves you time, and saves your organization money.
- Revision of program management curriculum provides more targeted training for Program Managers.
- Critical thinking and case-based training help the student make smart business decisions in the workplace.
- Communities of Practice: visit <http://www.pmcop.dau.mil> for current information in areas such as contract management, risk management, and systems engineering.
- Strategic Partnerships with other government agencies, industry and academia offer more avenues to meet your training requirements and career development goals. For more details, visit <http://www.dau.mil>.
- Consulting/performance support—we're here to help even after you leave the classroom.
- Continuous Learning modules help meet the DoD's continuous learning requirements: <http://clc.dau.mil>.

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